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APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): **Anthony H. Cincotta**

for:

**THERAPEUTIC TREATMENT FOR THE METABOLIC SYNDROME
AND TYPE 2 DIABETES**

1. Type of Application

Original Continuation Divisional Continuation-In-Part

2. Benefit of Prior Foreign Application(s) (35 U.S.C. § 119 a-d)

The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of
 prior foreign application serial no. _____, filed on _____, in _____ (country); or

PCT international application designating at least one country
other than the U.S. application Serial no. _____, filed on _____.

A certified copy is enclosed or on file in the prior application.

3. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. § 120 and/or § 119(e))

The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior
co-pending U.S. application(s):

Serial No. 60/399,180, filed on July 29, 2002.

4. Papers Enclosed Which Are Required for Filing Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

[8]	page(s) of Specification
[4]	page(s) of Claims, having <u>20</u> claims, including <u>5</u> independent and <u>15</u> dependent claims
[1]	page(s) of Abstract
[0]	sheet(s) of [] formal [] informal Drawings

5. Additional Papers Enclosed

- [] Preliminary Amendment
[X] Information Disclosure Statement
[X] Form PTO-1449
[X] Copies of Cited Art
[X] Other: Return Receipt Postcard

Declaration

6. An oath/declaration is [X] enclosed [] not enclosed. (Unsigned)

7. Assignment

[] Enclosed is a recordation form and an assignment of the invention to _____.

8. Small Entity Status

[X] Applicant claims small entity status.

9. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee	\$ 750.00
Total Claims	20	-20	-0-	\$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent claims	5	-3	-2-	\$84.00	\$ 168.00
Multiple Dependent claims, if any:				\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
	Total				\$ 918.00
	Reduction for small entity by 50%				\$ 459.00
	TOTAL FILING FEE				\$ 459.00

10. Method of Payment of Fees

[] Check in the amount of \$

[x] Charge Account No. 23-1665 in the amount of \$459.00.

11. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 23-1665.

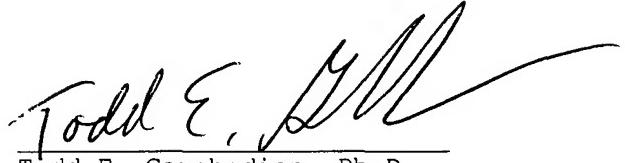
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